QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS.

Auction sale of the Mannankandam in the Muvattupuzha Taluk.

1. *MR. K. P. KOCHUKORATHARAKAN (*Kunnatnad* cum *Parur*): Will the Government be pleased to state :

(*a*) whether it was not for paddy cultivation that they assigned in auction the Mannankandam in the Muvattupuzha taluk ;

(*b*) whether any of the persons who bid the lands in auction there, petitioned the Government that the lands they have acquired in auction were not wet lands but were garden lands lying 10 to 15 feet above the level of wet lands ;

(*c*) if so, whether they have made enquiries on the complaint ; and

(*d*) if so, what the report regarding it was and what action they have taken on the basis of that report ?

MR. K. GEORGE : (*a*) Lands in Mannankandam valley were assigned for both dry and wet cultivation.

(*b*) Yes.

(*c*) Yes.

(*d*) The reports were to the effect that the petitions did not deserve consideration, as the parties must be presumed to have inspected the lands notified for sale. The petitions were therefore rejected.

MR. K. P. KOCHUKORATHARAKAN : ഡ്രൈലാൻഡ് എന്നും വെറ്റ്ലാൻഡെന്നും പ്രത്യേകം തിരിച്ചിട്ടുണ്ടോ?

MR. K. GEORGE : ഉണ്ട്.

MR. K. P. KOCHUKORA THARAKAN: ആ വിവരങ്ങളെല്ലാം അക്ഷൻ ചെയ്ത അവസരത്തിൽ പ്രത്യേകം പറഞ്ഞിട്ടുണ്ടായിരുന്നോ?

MR. K. GEORGE : ഉണ്ട്.

Rural dispensaries.

2. *MR. K. P. KOCHUKORATHARAKAN: In regard to rural dispensaries, will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) whether any scheme in respect of rural dispensaries has been submitted to them by the Medical Department since 1106 : and

(*b*) if so, the stage at which the consideration of the same stands at present?

VAIDYASASTRAKUSALA DR. (MRS.) M. POONEN LUKOSE : (*a*) Yes.

(*b*) Government have ordered that the consideration of the scheme be postponed to better times.

MR. K. P. KOCHUKORATHARAKAN ; ബെറർ ടൈംസ് എന്ന പറഞ്ഞിരിക്കുന്നതു ഗവണ്മെൻറിന്റെയോ പൊതുജനങ്ങളുടെയോ എന്നു സംശയിക്കുന്നു.

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VAIDYASASTRAKUSALA DR. (MRS.) POONEN LUKOSE: What is meant is better financial conditions.....

PRESIDENT: Order, order. honourable member will perhaps make it convenient to speak in Malayalam in answer to a question put in Malayalam in order that it may facilitate discussion and it may not be said that free discussion was crippled by the answer being given in English.

VAIDYASASTRAKUSALA DR. (MRS.) M. POONEN LUKOSE: ഗവണ്മെൻറിന്റെ ധനസ്ഥിതി നന്നാകുമ്പോൾ എന്നാണ് പറഞ്ഞിരിക്കുന്നത്.

MR. K. P. KOCHKORATHARAKAN: ജനങ്ങളുടെ ധനസ്ഥിതി നന്നായാലല്ലേ ഗവണ്മെൻറിന്റെ ധനസ്ഥിതി നന്നാകുകയുള്ളൂ?

VAIDYASASTRAKUSALA DR. (MRS.) M. POONEN LUKOSE: മൂന്നു ഡിസ്പെൻസറികൾ ഇപ്പോൾ കൂടുതലായി സ്ഥാപിച്ചിട്ടുണ്ട്.

MR. K. P. KOCHUKORATHARAKAN: അതുകൊണ്ട് ഈ നാട്ടിലെ ഡിസ്പെൻസറികളുടെ ആവശ്യം തീർന്നു എന്നു വിചാരിക്കുന്നുണ്ടോ?

VAIDYASASTRAKUSALA DR. (MRS.) M. POONEN LUKOSE: തീർച്ചയായും ഇല്ല.

MR. PULIYOOR T. P. VELAYUDHAN PILLAI (*Tiruvalla*): May I know from Government the major recommendations contained in the scheme submitted to Government by the Medical Department?

VAIDYASASTRAKUSALA DR. (MRS.) M. POONEN LUKOSE: Certain places were noted in the report as places where rural dispensaries may be started and at the time of the report five rural dispensaries were under consideration.

MR. PULIYOOR T. P. VELAYUDHAN PILLAI: May I know from the Government the approximate amount required for opening a rural dispensary?

VAIDYASASTRAKUSALA DR. (MRS.) M. POONEN LUKOSE: About Rs. 1,500.

Details of accidents in factories, etc.

3. ✻**MR. M. L. JANARDANA PILLAI** (*Nominated*): Will the Government be pleased to state the details of accidents that had taken place in the years 1111 and 1112 and which had been reported to Government in:

(*a*) the Coir Factories of Alleppey;
(*b*) the different Tea Estates of Travancore;
(*c*) the Cashewnut Factories of Quilon;
(*d*) the Monczite Factories in Travancore;
(*e*) the Tile Factories in Travancore;
(*f*) Saw Mills of Travancore;
(*g*) Match Factories in Travancore;
(*h*) Hydraulic Presses in Travancore; and
(*i*) Oil Mills in Travancore?

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